



U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

Bear River Migratory Bird Refuge
Brigham City, UT
Waterbird/Raptor Survey
January 9, 2013

A waterbird/raptor survey was conducted on January 9, 2013 by Refuge Biologist Howard Browers with 20 species recorded. Refuge wetlands were greater than 95% ice covered. There were some small open water areas near water control structures and in canals where there is some flowing water. Though not a record for this survey in early January, the number of pied-billed grebes recorded was unusually high.

Tundra swan	65
Canada goose	1
Mallard	20
Northern shoveler	2
Canvasback	6
Lesser scaup	78
Common goldeneye	54
Common merganser	13
Red-breasted merganser	1
Ring-necked duck	60
Ruddy duck	9
Pied-billed grebe	84
Great blue heron	15
Ring-billed gull	54
American coot	24
Bald eagle	7
Northern harrier	21
Rough-legged hawk	27
Short-eared owl	1
Loggerhead shrike	1

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